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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Y. TAKEDA, et al.

Serial No.: 10/619,572

Filed: July 16, 2003

For: COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, GATEWAY EQUIPMENT,  
COMMUNICATION METHOD AND AUTHENTICATION  
METHOD

Group: 2687

Examiner: M. Santiago-Cordero

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL - EXPEDITED  
PROCEDURE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

MS AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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March 15, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 15, 2005, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims**

Remarks are included following the amendments.

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